

**CUSTOMER NO. 24498**  
**Serial No.: 10/505,390**  
**Notice of Allowance dated: 15 October 2008**  
**Response dated: 22 December 2008**

**PATENT**  
**PF020015**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

**Alain Durand**

Serial No.: 10/505,390

Group Art Unit: 2132

Filed: August 20, 2004

Examiner: Almeida, Devin E.

For: METHOD FOR PROCESSING  
ENCODED DATA FOR FIRST  
DOMAIN RECEIVED IN A  
NETWORK PERTAINING TO A  
SECOND DOMAIN

Confirmation No.: 7244

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed 15 October 2008. This Preliminary Amendment is accompanied by a Request for Continuing Examination (RCE).

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page **2** of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page **5** of this paper.

Please charge any required fees or credit any prior overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 07-0832.